## REPUBLIC OF PALAU

## **EXECUTIVE BRANCH**

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

President's Message For the United States of America 236<sup>th</sup> Independence Day

Alii & Good Evening!

As president of the REPUBLIC OF PALAU, I would like to represent all of us, and express our congratulations and best wishes to UNITED STATES OF AMERICA on the occasion of the 236<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their independence marked by the Fourth of July—their Independence Day.

The UNITED STATES OF AMERICA has been a positive force and influence around the world promoting peace, security, human rights and freedom which we here in Palau enjoy. We have a very close and special relationship with the United States under the Compact of Free Association under which we receive a lot of assistance from the united states.

And I would like to express once again our best wishes and good health to His Excellency President Barack Obama of the United States and the People of the United States of America.

And may I say,

Long-Live our special relationship and friendship with the United States and may God Bless America and the REPUBLIC OF PALAU.

Happy 236<sup>th</sup> Independence Day United States of America

President Johnson Toribiong

And Republic of Palau